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CLERK: Read amendment. (Found on page 1440 of Journal).

SENATOR LUEDTKE: Now, Mr. President and members of the Legislature. What this does, LB920 was a bill which provided only for the...provided for allowing bus bumpers on these busses to have these safety bumpers as you recall....six inch extension. That's all it did. I purposely held it up on Final Reading to see what would happen to LB921 because there was a rumor that there might be...that it might be vetoed because there were certain provisions in Section 2. This you recall did happen and the Governor did severely criticize Section 2 of the bill. And what this would do, what these amendments would simply take out the offending section which is offending to the Governor and which his veto is based on and which he referred to an Attorney General's opinion, etc. And would put the rest of LB921, which was vetoed, and that is the original LB921, without the amendments, put that into LB920. So LB920 would then be the original LB921 to which there was no opposition either in committee or on the floor and would add to it, of course, the six inch extension of bus bumpers which all comes within the same section. That's what it would do.

PRESIDENT: Is there any discussion? Well, the bill was bracketed but is there any objections to unbracketing it? Hearing none, it's unbracketed. That's a technicality. Now, is there any further discussion on the motion to return this to Select File for specific amendment? All those in favor of doing that, vote aye. Those opposed, vote no. Clerk will record.

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PRESIDENT: Bill is returned. What's the next motion, Mr..... All right, the Clerk reminds me that technically we move them over and then we go on and see if we can move something else, however, is there any objection to taking up this amendment right now? He's already explained while it's fresh in our minds. I can see nothing wrong with it. Otherwise we just go through a rigamole that takes more time. Does anybody have any objections to doing all this right now as we take each amendment? All right, seeing no objection, we'll just go right ahead. The bill has now been returned to Select File. Now, what's your pleasure, Senator Luedtke?

SENATOR LUEDTKE: I move that we accept the amendment in Select File, specific amendment.

PRESIDENT: Motion is made to adopt the specific amendment. Is there any discussion? Are you ready for the question? All those in favor vote aye. Those opposed vote no. Requires 25 votes. Clerk will record.

CLERK: 31 ayes, 0 nays, Mr. President.

SENATOR LUEDTKE: Mr. President, I move to advance the bill to E & R....

PRESIDENT: Yes, the motion has been made to advance the bill. All those in favor vote aye. All those opposed vote no. Clerk will record.

CLERK: 35 ayes, no nays, on motion to advance.